

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please enter Amendments (A) through (D) provided below:

(A) Please insert the following headings and paragraph at Page 1, line 3 of the Application-as-filed, immediately preceeding the first full paragraph:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is being filed under Rule 1.371 as a National Stage Application of International Application No. PCT/EP2004/000397, which claims priority to the following parent application: German Patent Application No. 103 02 960.5 filed January 24, 2003. The foregoing German parent application is hereby incorporated by reference herein in its entirety.

FIELD OF THE INVENTION

(B) Please insert the following heading at Page 1, line 8 of the Application-as-filed, immediately preceeding the second full paragraph:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

(C) Please insert the following heading on Page 5, line 25 of the Application-as-filed, immediately preceeding the last full paragraph:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

(D) Please insert the following heading on Page 6, line 6 of the Application-as-filed, immediately preceeding the first full paragraph:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF ADVANTAGEOUS EMBODIMENTS OF THE INVENTION